IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Blanc et al. Confirmation No.: 1078

Serial No.: 10/560,012 Group Art Unit: 1612

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Title: CHEMICAL COMPOUNDS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION SUBMITTED UNDER 37 CFR §1.114

Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed November 27, 2009, and the Advisory Action mailed March 11, 2010. Reconsideration of the application in view of the amendment and remarks following is earnestly solicited.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge any fees or credit any overpayment, particularly including any fees required under 37 CFR §1.16 or §1.17, and any necessary extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 07-1392.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.